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- (1) This express request to immediately begin national examination procedures (35 USC 371(f)).
- (2) A record copy of the international application in the Japanese Language including: seven pages of specification, two pages of claims as originally filed, one page abstract, and two sheets of drawings (FIGs. 1-2).
- (3) A verified copy of the international application translated into the English Language, including seven pages of specification, two pages of claims as originally filed, a one page abstract, and two sheets of drawings (FIGS. 1-2).

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- (4) A two page executed Verification of Phasa Recicl PCT/PTO 0 9 SEP 2007
- (5) An executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- (6) A copy of the two page International Search Report in the English language, and a copy of the two page International Search Report in the Japanese language.
- (7) A copy of an Article 19 Amendment in the English and Japanese languages
- (8) A copy of the Request.
- (9) A copy of Form PCT/IB/304 "Notification Concerning Submission or Transmittal of Priority Document"
- (10) A copy of the Demand for International Preliminary Examination.
- (11) A copy of Form PCT/IPEA/408 dated September 30, 2003.
- (12) A copy of Form PCT/IPEA/409 dated January 20, 2004.
- (13) A First Preliminary Amendment to be entered **before** calculating the filing fee. (1 claim in total; 1 independent; and no multiple dependent).
- (14) A Second Preliminary Amendment.(20 claims in total; 1 independent; and no multiple dependent)
- (15) Our check in the amount of \$920.00 covering the basic national fee as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(a)(5); (20 claims in total, 1 independent; and no multiple dependent).

Please charge any additional fees which may be required to effect entry into the National Phase and credit any overpayment to our deposit account 08-3040.

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